

## **Iowa Department of Human Services**

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Althea Kelley 1122 Scott St Davenport, IA 52803

Dear Althea Kellev.

This letter is in regards to the 6/27/14 compliance check of your Level B, Registered Child Development
Home. Iowa Code Chapter 237A and 441 Iowa Administrative Code, Chapter 110, describes specific
requirements that must be met by a Registered Child Development Home. The following areas were out
of compliance at the time of my visit:

This letter is in regards to the 6/27/14 compliance check of your Level B, Registered Child Development Home. Iowa Code Chapter 237A and 441 Iowa Administrative Code, Chapter 110, describes specific requirements that must be met by a Registered Child Development Home. The following areas were of compliance at the time of my visit:
110.5(1) Conditions in the home are safe, sanitary, and free of hazards.  Grill in outside play area, mower and rake in yard, anchor swing set, need to replace extinguished need one more smoke detector.
110.5(1)h. A safe outdoor play area is maintained in good condition throughout the year.  Cover or move grill – move mower to shed – move rake in play area- anchor swing set
110.5(1)m. Has not less than one 2A 10BC rated fire extinguisher in a visible and readily accessible place on each child-occupied floor.  Need to replace current extinguisher as it showed "empty"
110.5(1)n. Has a minimum of one single-station, battery-operated, UL-approved smoke detector in each child-occupied room and at the top of every stairway.  *Need one for top of basement stairs*
110.5(2) A provider file is maintained and contains: 110.5(2) A physician's signed statement of health and immunization status on the provider and all members of the household who may be present when children are in the home. Statements must be obtained at the time of initial registration and updated every two years.  **Althea- needs updated exam**
☐ 110.5(8) Children's Files ☐ 110.5(8) An individual file is maintained for each child and updated annually or when there are changes. Each file contains:
110.5(8)g A signed and dated immunization certificate provided by the state department of public health.

Non-compliance with any of the mandated regulatory requirements listed above may lead to the cancellation or revocation of your Child Development Home Registration. Please take whatever steps

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are necessary to completely address each of the violations noted above. It is essential you correct all
above-mentioned violations BY 8/11/14.
Based on the items out of compliance listed above, you will be required to have a recheck or follow up visit to your home. This visit will occur on or after 8/11/14.
Please do not hesitate to contact me at DHS at 563-326-8215 if you have any questions regarding this letter.  Sincerely,

Kathy Huinker Social Worker II

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Machelle Pezley Social Work Supervisor

Always Remember:

Child Care Resource and Referral is an excellent resource for providers to access training options and support in your area. You can reach Child Care Resource and Referral at 1-866-324-3236.

As you plan your future trainings to meet your 24 hours of training requirement, please remember that you need to use only DHS approved training and only 12 hours can be by self-study. You can access the approved training by going to http://www.dhs.state.ia.us/Consumers/Child\_Care/Professional\_Development.html and you can sign up for training at https://ccmis.dhs.state.ia.us/trainingregistry/

All providers need to maintain compliance with rules set out in Iowa Administrative Code, Chapter 110, which includes: 441 IAC 110.5(1): Check with the appropriate authorities to determine how the following local, state, or federal laws apply to you: • Zoning code • Building code • Fire code • Business license • State and federal income tax • Unemployment insurance • Worker's Compensation • Minimum wage and hour requirements • OSHA • Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA).